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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	)	
	:	Examiner: Duc Chi Ho
SHINICHI HATAE ET AL.	)	
	:	Art Unit: 2616
Application No.: 09/253,783	)	
	:	Conf. No.: 6059
Filed: February 22, 1999	)	
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For: DATA COMMUNICATION SYSTEM,	)	
DATA COMMUNICATION METHOD,	:	
AND DATA COMMUNICATION	)	
APPARATUS	:	August 21, 2007

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 21, 2007, please amend the above-identified application as follows. The amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing beginning on page 2, and the Remarks begin on page 8.